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advancing historic reforms to cut

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plastic and packaging waste the big SP

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54 Milestones ahead plus \$90 million

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available to cut landfill and climate

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pollution through local Organics

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Recycling and food rescue programs and

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beverage container recycling grants

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helping boost recycling as Paradise

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rebuilds that's one of the beauty of

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this grant was being able to reestablish

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some consistency in the town power

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Cycles monthly public meeting starts

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now good morning everyone we are having

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some static in the background so there

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may be a point where we need to reboot

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uh this

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broadcast thanks for joining Calvary

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Cycles October 2023 public meeting this

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meeting is for Californians by

0:57

Californians as we work together to
0:59
protect our communities and fight
1:01
climate change to serve people of
1:03
differing abilities and comply with the
1:05
requirements of the Americans
1:06
Disabilities Act Calvary cycle provides
1:09
closed captioned for publicly viewed
1:12
meetings because live captioning
1:14
requires voice recognition software some
1:16
errors may occur here's information
1:19
about our Spanish language
1:22
interpretation language shouldn't be a
1:24
barrier when it comes to protecting our
1:26
air water and land Cal recycle is simal
1:29
casting this meeting both English and
1:31
Spanish click the public meeting Banner
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at the top of Cal
1:35
cycle.com for a link to our webcast in
1:37
English and Spanish if you're attending
1:40
this meeting in person in byon share
1:41
Auditorium we have Spanish
1:43
interpretation devices available let our
1:45
team on the left hand side of the DI
1:47

know if you need

1:58

one

2:23

our first agenda item today is the

2:24

director's report chief deputy director

2:26

Mindy McIntyre joins us with some

2:28

important updates good morning

2:31

Mindy good morning and welcome everyone

2:34

thank you for joining us in the room and

2:36

online just a few updates and we'll jump

2:38

right to the agenda which has more

2:40

updates plenty going on this fall um

2:42

just a few legislative updates Governor

2:45

Newsome sign both SB 353 and ab

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1526

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353 um it is relative to the beverage

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container program and adds 100% juice

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and revises the processing payment among

3:00

other things um and updates to 1013 uh

3:04

Governor Newsome also signed AB 1526 which

3:08

adds aerosol paint spray and coding to

3:10

the paint epr

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program additional regulatory workshops

3:14

are coming for S sp54 AB 2440 loose

3:19

batteries SB 1215 battery embedded
3:22
products and more so plenty of updates
3:25
that you'll hear about in the meeting so
3:27
appreciate your
3:28
participation
3:30
thank you Cal recycle wants your
3:32
feedback and participation as we work to
3:34
implement historic circular economy
3:37
reforms organizations can now apply to
3:39
become the s sp54 producer
3:42
responsibility organization the
3:44
application is available on our website
3:46
the last day to apply is January 1st
3:48
2024 the department is working to
3:50
release what's
3:54
that apologies everyone I just wanted to
3:57
make a note that there is one more
3:58
update which is important the S sp504 PR
4:01
application period is now open thank you
4:05
yes so again that uh the last day to
4:07
apply will be January 1st 2024 the
4:10
department is working to release 2020 or
4:13
S sp54 draft regulatory language and
4:15

hold additional workshops this fall
4:17
before starting formal rule making in
4:19
early 2024 sign up for the S sp54 email
4:23
list serve for
4:25
updates uh additionally Cal recycle is
4:27
also working to implement the
4:29
responsible battery recycling Act of
4:31
2022 the law requires producers to
4:33
establish a stewardship organization to
4:36
safely collect and recycle loose
4:38
batteries we're holding an informational
4:40
session tomorrow at 10:00 a.m. here in
4:43
the Byron chair Auditorium you can also
4:45
register to participate online the
4:48
workshop will provide an overview of ab
4:50
2024 requirements and implementation
4:52
timeline and information on how to
4:54
participate in the rule making process
4:57
check out the public notice linked in
4:59
today's agenda and subscribe to our
5:01
email list Ser for updates and also
5:04
happening tomorrow our latest SB 1383
5:08
chat with Cal recycle the webinar will
5:10

run from 1 P.M to 3 P.M and will focus
5:13
on enforcement requirements and include
5:15
peer sharing from jurisdictions on their
5:18
enforcement processes you can find the
5:20
zoom registration on Cal recycles events
5:23
calendar at the top of our
5:25
homepage additionally \$90 million is
5:28
still available ailable for SB 1383
5:31
local assistance grants applications are
5:34
due by November 15th of this
5:37
year Cal recycle is modernizing the
5:41
bottle bill by adding Wine and Spirits
5:43
to the wine and spirit beverage
5:45
containers to the CRV recycling program
5:48
beverage container recycling program
5:50
deputy director Amy Cameron is here with
5:52
an announcement good morning Amy good
5:54
morning thanks Maria the beverage
5:56
container recycling program will have an
5:58
operational guidelines webinar on
6:01
October 24th 2023 at 10: a.m. this
6:06
webinar will be for all beverage
6:08
container recycling program
6:10

participants to provide guidance
6:12
regarding new Beverages and new
6:14
container types that begin on January
6:16
1st
6:18
2024 you can register online to
6:20
participate in the zoom webinar this
6:24
announcement with the zoom registration
6:26
link is on our Cal recycle website under
6:29
Public Notices it will also be available
6:33
via webcast for viewing only webinar
6:36
materials will be available online in
6:39
the next day or two there will be an
6:42
additional webinar specifically for
6:45
beverage manufacturers with more details
6:48
regarding registration processing fees
6:51
labeling Etc on November 8th please sign
6:55
up on list serve for more information
6:57
back to you Maria thanks Amy
7:01
Californians have recycled 282 billion
7:04
bottles and cans through this program in
7:06
the past three decades Cal recycle
7:08
grants and payment programs help
7:10
communities boost their beverage
7:11

container recycling rates while making
7:13
Redemption easier for residents take a
7:16
look at how beverage container recycling
7:18
Grant a a beverage container recycling
7:20
Grant helped the town of paradise after
7:23
the 2018
7:26
campfire the town of paradise was
7:28
shattered in 2018 by the most
7:30
destructive fire in California history
7:32
determined survivors concern for the
7:34
environment has prioritized rebuilding
7:36
the town's recycling collection program
7:38
to bring back a sense of normaly and
7:40
purpose with the help of nearly \$200,000
7:43
in Grant funds from Cal recycle for this
7:45
particular Grant we installed 60 bins to
7:47
replace all our community beverage and
7:50
recycling containers throughout our
7:52
parks and the walkways that's one of the
7:54
beauties of this Brant was being able to
7:57
reestablish some consistency in the p
7:59
it's like a little Beacon of rebuilding
8:01
the town of paradise did more than
8:03

invest in new recycling bins we made a
8:05
commercial showcasing how to properly
8:07
dispose of Beverage containers and that
8:09
these new Bins were being put in all the
8:11
community spaces and the parks and
8:13
showed everybody that and said remember
8:15
to continue to recycle Paradise strong
8:17
even the little things help those little
8:18
things helped California's beverage
8:20
container recycling program keep more
8:22
than 482 billion beverage containers out
8:25
of our streets rivers and landfills over
8:27
the past three decades these bins do
8:29
more for paradise and give a convenient
8:31
place to recycle cans and bottles
8:33
postfire these recycling bins help
8:36
strengthen the feeling of community it's
8:38
something that we all do together and I
8:41
think that's a really important message
8:42
Coast fire is that it's really hard to
8:44
do any of this by yourself but together
8:47
we can make a really big
8:53
difference Innovative beverage container
8:55

Redemption pilot projects are also
8:57
making it easier for Californians to
8:59
cash in their bottles and cans in
9:01
underserved areas division of the
9:02
circular economy deputy director Zoe
9:05
heler joins us with grand award
9:07
announcements good morning Zoe good
9:09
morning Maria Cal recycle is awarding
9:12
\$500,000 to J&D recycling LLC to expand
9:16
its services by adding a bagd drop
9:18
system to its pilot project in the city
9:20
of San Mato through the bagd drop system
9:23
customers will be able to drop off their
9:25
CRV materials in designated drop bags
9:28
with unique customer number cards people
9:31
who use the bag drop system to drop
9:33
their CRV material can expect payments
9:35
within 48 hours or can receive a cash
9:38
payment if they are present during the
9:40
CRV material
9:42
inspection more funding will soon be
9:44
available for recycling centers and
9:46
other program participants to help
9:48

recycle more containers and make
9:50
Redemption more convenient Cal recycle
9:52
will be holding a webinar or a workshop
9:55
rather on no November 15th from 10:00
9:57
a.m. to 12:00 p.m. to provide interested
10:00
parties an overview of several new
10:02
beverage container Grant programs
10:04
associated with ab1 179 and SB
10:08
1013 programs include funding for
10:10
startup costs for recycling centers and
10:13
processors Innovative Redemption methods
10:15
like reverse vending machines bagd drop
10:17
Recycling and mobile recycling deposit
10:20
return Innovations for reusable
10:22
containers programs for Market
10:24
development and Workforce Development
10:26
please subscribe to the beverage
10:28
container recycl program general
10:30
information list serve to be notified
10:32
when registration
10:35
opens today we're also announcing \$2.4
10:38
million for eight Innova eight Tire
10:41
incentive program Grant projects the
10:44

awardees are set to turn 18 million
10:47
pounds of old tires into valuable new
10:49
products including roof shingles Sports
10:51
flooring accessibility ramps and traffic
10:54
cones that will keep an equivalent of
10:56
1.5 million tires out of our landfills
10:59
the tire incentive program provides
11:01
incentive payments to businesses that
11:03
use recycled chrom rubber in products or
11:06
as a substitute for Virgin materials
11:09
over 8 million tires have been kept out
11:10
of landfills by this program so
11:14
far next on the agenda updates on two of
11:17
our funding programs the community
11:19
composting for green spaces grant
11:21
program provides funding to cut climate
11:23
pollution strengthen the economy and
11:25
feed Californians particularly in
11:27
underserved areas Grant cycle 3 will
11:30
provide funding to qualifying tribal
11:32
entities to create improve or expand
11:35
Community composting sites based on
11:38
feedback to the criteria presented in
11:40

September Cal recycle increased the
11:42
maximum award amount to
11:44
\$100,000 under certain conditions we
11:46
added the option to increase Grant
11:48
Awards indirect costs were increased to
11:50
match tribes approved indirect cost rate
11:53
the RFA was approved and the application
11:55
will be released within the next week
11:58
the first of this grant program kept
12:00
5,400 tons of Organics out of landfill
12:04
planted 488 trees and cut cut climate
12:08
pollution equal to taking 700,000 cars
12:10
off the road for a
12:13
year we also have made changes to our
12:16
recycling Market development Zone Loan
12:18
program eligibility criteria that was
12:21
presented at our August monthly public
12:23
meeting the rdz program supports new or
12:26
expanded recycling infrastructure to
12:28
turn California Waste materials into new
12:31
products after reviewing comments
12:33
eligibility criteria were revised in
12:35
several places but to highlight a few to
12:38

ensure that circularity is prioritized

12:40

and to ensure continued funding for new

12:42

and expanding projects that develop

12:44

markets for recycled material the

12:46

updated criteria are posted on our

12:50

website back to you Maria thanks so much

12:53

Zoe Cal recycle has upgraded our public

12:56

comment intake system to submit your

12:58

comment comments you can find the L Link

13:00

in the same location on our

13:02

website just with a new

13:04

look California wants your input on

13:07

Recycling and trash pollution issues

13:09

join Cal recycles decision-making

13:11

process by submitting a public comment

13:13

on any of today's agenda items

13:15

microphones are available for those of

13:16

you in the room if you're joining

13:18

remotely just click the public meeting

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Banner at the top of our website then

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click the public meeting portal to send

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us your feedback we'll address public

13:25

comments at the end of the

13:27

meeting

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you can access the public comment portal

13:32

through our new monthly public comment

13:34

meeting web page the web page is also

13:36

available in Spanish we will address

13:39

submitted comments at the end of this

13:41

meeting so now we go back to deputy

13:44

director Zoe Hower first series on

13:46

extended producer Responsibility program

13:49

announcements got quite a few for you

13:51

today we'll start with carpet

13:53

California's carpet stewardship Law

13:55

requires stewardship organizations to

13:57

submit a plan to Cal recycle for

13:59

increasing the carpet assessment if the

14:01

current assessment is not sufficient to

14:03

fund the program Cal recycle received

14:06

car's differential assessment plan

14:08

Amendment on September 20th and

14:10

solicited public comments through

14:12

October 6th the director must approve

14:15

conditionally approve or disapprove

14:17

car's plan amendment by November 20th

14:20

the statutory deadline for the
14:21
director's decision is one day prior to
14:24
the next to next month's monthly public
14:26
meeting so it'll provide an update at
14:28
the no November monthly public meeting
14:31
be sure to sign up for the carpet
14:32
stewardship list serve to keep a prized
14:34
on this
14:35
item up next staff are reviewing seven
14:38
documents related to the pharmaceutical
14:40
and Sharps waste stewardship program
14:42
that were submitted August through
14:45
October Med projects revised 2022 annual
14:48
reports and 2024 annual program budgets
14:52
for its drugs and Sharps program the
14:54
drug takeback solutions foundations
14:57
revised 2022 annual reports for its
15:00
drugs and Sharps program and ultimed
15:03
Sharps 2022 annual report the statutory
15:07
deadline for compliance
15:09
determination deadline I'm sorry the
15:11
statutory 90-day compliance
15:12
determination deadline for ultimed
15:14

Sharp's annual report is November 16th
15:18
the statutory 90-day compliance
15:20
determination deadline for Med projects
15:22
annual reports and annual program
15:24
budgets and the drug takeback solutions
15:26
foundation's annual report is November 2
15:29
the statutory deadlines for these
15:31
directors decisions are also a day and
15:33
several days prior to the next monthly
15:35
public meeting so we'll be providing
15:37
updates on these items at the November
15:39
public
15:40
meeting and the statutory 90-day
15:42
compliance determination deadline for
15:44
the drug takeback foundation's revised
15:47
2022 drugs annual report is mid January
15:50
be sure to sign up for the Pharma Sharps
15:52
list serve to keep apprized of these
15:54
decisions on these various items thank
15:57
you Cal recycles waste reduction and
16:00
recycling progress would not be possible
16:02
without the hard work of our
16:04
jurisdictions deputy director Cara
16:06

Morgan of Cal recycles materials
16:08
management and local assistance division
16:10
is here with our next agenda items good
16:12
morning Cara good morning thanks Maria
16:14
hi everybody uh just wanted to share um
16:17
that we have some five-year review
16:19
reports today uh Cal recycle is required
16:22
to review and either approve or
16:24
disapprove each countywide or Regional
16:27
agency integrated way management plan
16:29
5-year review report these reports are
16:32
comprehensive review of jurisdiction's
16:36
planning documents they can be impacted
16:38
by changes in demographics disposal
16:40
capacities funding and diversion
16:42
programs the counties of but Nevada and
16:46
pler submitted their five-year review
16:48
reports for their countywide Integrated
16:50
Waste Management plans and they
16:52
concluded no revisions to the planning
16:55
documents are necessary I've approved
16:57
these items back to you
16:59
Maria thanks Cara now we're going to go
17:02

to the appending solid waste and tire
17:05
facilities permits and emergency waiver
17:07
section Cal recycle has upgrad upgraded
17:10
its facility permit presentation to show
17:13
an aerial view of the the county or
17:16
community and then an aerial view of the
17:18
specific facility that we're addressing
17:20
here's a quick overview of California
17:22
facility standards plus a Statewide
17:24
facility permit permit update from
17:27
environmental program manager Paulina
17:32
Lawrence protecting the health of
17:34
Californians and their Land Food Water
17:37
and Air is a big job local state and
17:40
federal agencies play different roles to
17:42
enforce public health and environmental
17:44
safety standards in California Solid
17:47
Waste local enforcement agencies process
17:49
applications issue and enforce permits
17:52
for solid waste facilities these include
17:55
landfills transfer stations compost
17:57
facilities or similar operations Cal
18:00
recycle must verify permits are
18:02

consistent with state requirements
18:05
permits can only address areas within
18:07
the authority of local enforcement
18:09
agencies and Cal recycle check out the
18:12
link below for more detailed information
18:15
emergency waivers allow temporary
18:17
changes to Solid Waste permit
18:18
requirements in response to local or
18:21
state disasters local enforcement
18:23
agencies May approve the waivers which
18:26
are good for up to 120 days and may be
18:29
extended Cal recycle must review
18:31
approved waivers and can condition limit
18:34
suspend or terminate them check out the
18:37
link for more detailed information for
18:40
Waste Tire facilities Cal recycle
18:42
processes applications issues and
18:45
enforces waste Tire permits these
18:47
include requirements to make sure tires
18:49
are stored and processed in a way that
18:52
reduces potential threats from fire and
18:55
disease carrying vectors like mosquitoes
18:57
check out the link link for more
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detailed

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19:03

information for Orange County the

19:06

department agreed with the local

19:08

enforcement agency and concurred on

19:10

September 19th 2023 a new compostible

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Materials Handling facility permit for

19:16

Valencia greenry action was needed

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September 22nd 2023 for Sonoma County

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the department also concurred on

19:25

September 19th 2023 a mon ified Solid

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Waste facili permit for Global material

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Recovery Services action was needed

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September 25th 2023 lastly for Stannis

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County the department in which they are

19:41

the enforcement agency for this

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jurisdiction issued on October 10th 2023

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a modified compostable Materials

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Handling facility permit for rology

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Blossom Valley Organics North action was

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needed October 21st

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20:02

2023 continuing on the agenda for

20:05

Riverside county is Paris transfer
20:08
station and material recovery facility
20:10
this is a modified Solid Waste
20:12
facilities permit action is needed
20:14
November 1st 2023 also continuing on the
20:18
agenda for the city of Los Angeles a CWS
20:23
DTLA material recovery facility and
20:26
transfer station this is a modified
20:28
Solid Waste facilities per action due
20:31
date is revised to November 18th
20:39
2023 new to the agenda for Los Angeles
20:42
county is Grand Central Recycling and
20:45
transfer station this is a revised Solid
20:48
Waste facilities permit action needed is
20:51
November 24th
20:53
2023 preliminary review of the permit
20:56
package indicates the following prop
20:58
proposed changes updating the mailing
21:00
address of the owner and operator
21:03
addition of a permitted traffic volume
21:05
of 894 vehicles per day decreasing the
21:09
permitted area from 10.26 acres to 10.25
21:13
Acres updating the legal description of
21:16

the facility section the finding section
21:19
the prohibition section the documents
21:22
that describ Andor restrict operation of
21:25
the facility section the self-monitoring
21:27
section section and the local
21:29
enforcement agency conditions
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section
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everyone few more updates to the solid
21:46
waste facility and waste Tower facility
21:48
section uh we have an update for the
21:50
city of Los Angeles for CWS DTLA
21:53
material recovery facility and transfer
21:55
station they have an updated revised due
21:57
date it has been changed to January 19th
22:01
2024 also we have the department has
22:05
received some emergency waivers one is
22:07
for Los Angeles County this is for pona
22:10
Valley transfer station on September
22:13
29th 2023 the Los Angeles County
22:16
Department of Public Health local
22:18
enforcement agency granted an emergency
22:20
waiver to increase the permitted maximum
22:23

tonnage from 1,000 tons per day to
22:26
1,750 tons per day until January 29th
22:30
2024 this is due to the emergency
22:33
resulting from the severe um storms
22:36
thank you back to you Maria thank you so
22:39
much Paulina you can find more
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information on any of today's agenda
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items just go to Cal recycles homepage
22:44
and click on the public meeting web
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Banner at the top of our site for a link
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to the agenda and Associated Public
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Notices we also have a new box on the
22:53
homepage that has a public meeting link
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directly in the middle of the page now
22:58
now time for public comments first we'll
22:59
take comments from the public present in
23:01
our Sacramento Cali PA headquarters
23:03
meeting room today are there any
23:05
comments in the
23:12
room good morning Mike Robson um I just
23:15
had a quick question on the S sp54
23:18
regulations um is there something online
23:21
already on proposed regulations or is
23:26

there not yet but next Workshop will be
23:29
going over the draft the entire draft um
23:32
regulations so we don't have it uh we
23:35
haven't noticed it yet and we'll be
23:36
sending out the regulations the draft
23:38
regulations for review prior all right
23:41
[Music]
23:44
thanks any other comments in the room
23:50
today
23:56
okay
24:03
all right we have a few comments
24:05
submitted
24:07
online one is from Claire warshaw who is
24:09
a resident uh discussing illegal dumping
24:13
mentioning uh challenges with illegal
24:15
dumping dumping and homeless campers in
24:19
their area asking that cow recycle and
24:21
other local agencies authorities and
24:23
citizens push for immediate legislation
24:25
that would make any homeless campsite
24:27
into a temporary State campsite until
24:30
proper housing is attained for the for
24:33
this
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population um we'll take note of that
24:38
comment and we are working of course as
24:40
always with the locals on illegal
24:42
dumping and addressing illegal dumping
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next comment is from Ryan
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compot commenting on solid waste and
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tire
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facilities talking about the dire
24:54
situation that's been affecting the
24:56
community
24:58
apologies this is a very long comment
25:02
and they're requesting a thorough
25:04
investigation into the landfill
25:06
operation implementation and immediate
25:08
measures to mitigate the Lee pooling and
25:10
gas emiss emissions and establishment of
25:14
a transparent plan with clear timelines
25:16
for resolution this is referring to the
25:18
Chita Canyon Landfill and Cal recycle is
25:21
aware of the of the issue and is working
25:24
very closely with to support the local
25:26
enforcement agency
25:28
and um we'll be closely monitoring that
25:32

process Stephanie

25:35

Ira comments on the beverage container

25:37

recycling

25:38

program uh noting that she went to our

25:41

local Safeway and tried to recycle

25:43

bottles and cans but we're told that

25:45

they are no

25:47

longer accepted because of a pilot

25:49

program um for these comments we

25:52

recommend calling into our reporting

25:55

number which is 800 recycle so that we're

25:57

aware we can also connect you to any

26:00

pilot program that is in the area if in

26:02

fact there is a pilot in the area Amy

26:04

would you Amy Cameron would you like to

26:06

add

26:08

any no please call us and we'll make

26:10

sure we hook you up the nearest Pilot

26:12

project or the nearest recycling center

26:15

thank

26:19

you Maximilia RIS comments on

26:26

Organics um apologies this what would

26:29

the method for inputs be made I'm I'm

26:31

not sure what the the question is here
26:34
but when would this opportunity be open
26:35
and when when it closed tree timming
26:37
compan is trying to get material for
26:39
urban forestry that has been clipped and
26:42
ground SP 1383
26:46
certified yeah uh Maximillian if you
26:48
could provide your contact information
26:50
so we can have a team member follow up
26:52
because we're not exactly clear on the
26:54
question that's being asked and we'll
26:55
have someone get in touch with you later
26:57
today thank
27:01
you container recycling Institute is
27:05
asking about the beverage container
27:06
recycling program and curious when more
27:08
upcoming workshops concerning SB 1013
27:11
and/or draft regulations will occur and
27:15
I think we went over the events and all
27:16
events are on our events calendar but in
27:19
addition uh the operation guidelines
27:21
webinar will be on Tuesday October 24th
27:24
and then future workshops will be
27:26

announced through our lift serve and on
27:29
our events
27:30
calendar those are all the comments from
27:35
online thanks so much Mindy and let's
27:39
see uh thanks to everyone it's very
27:41
short meeting today uh who participated
27:43
in today's public meeting we can find
27:45
the you can find the videos from today's
27:47
meeting and the October monthly public
27:49
meeting recording posted to Cal recycle
27:52
YouTube channel as soon as possible as
27:54
we work to make our communication as
27:56
accessible inclusive and relevant to
27:57
Californians as we can we welcome your
28:00
feedback through Cal recycles public
28:02
comment portal have a great rest of your
28:04
morning and week and we will see you
28:05
next
28:07
month